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NURSES DAY CELEBRATION WAS HELD ON 11.05.2024

On the account of Nurses Day, celebration was conducted at Nightingale Hall on 11.05.2024. There were various events such as essay writing, Elocution, poster presentation and cooking competition were conducted and Juries from Paavai Engineering College and Paavai Para Medical Institutions were evaluated the performance on the students. The Principal Dr. Hepsi Rachel Chellarani delivered key note address on the occasion on the topic “Our Nurses Our Future”.

Students and the faculty took the Nightingale pledge administered by the principal Paavai College of Nursing and Research.



WORLD HYPERTENSION DAY WAS OBSERVED ON 12.06.2024

In Association with – The TN Dr. MGR Medical University, World Hypertension Day was observed on 12.06.2024 at Paavai college of nursing and research. Our students actively participated in the screening and awareness camp, at Paavai college of nursing and research campus and at Primary health center, Puduchatram, Namakkal District. The Screened data was uploaded in the Google form as given by the University, and forwarded to the University

on 13.06.2024. Health Education corner was set at the Primary Health Center and the students were educating & creating an awareness regarding Hypertension and Its Management, like the importance of Life style Modification, Diet and Exercises by using Charts & Pamphlets. The participants were highly benefited and gained awareness regarding the Hypertension, Management and its Prevention



LAMP LIGHTING CEREMONY OF 2023 - 2024 BATCH WAS HELD ON 09.08.2024

The Lamp Lighting ceremony for the first-year B.Sc Nursing eighth batch (2023-2024) was held on Friday, August 9, 2024, from 2:30 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. at Pragathi Hall. The program began with the lighting of the kuthuvilakku by the dignitaries on the dais. Dr. Hepsi Rachel Chellarani, Principal of Paavai College of Nursing and Research, delivered the welcome address. Thiru CA N.V. Natarajan, Chairman of Paavai Group of Institutions, presided over the function and delivered the presidential address.

The students received their light from the chief guest, Dr. Hemalatha Sugavanan, and Correspondent Thirumathi Mangai Natarajan. The lamp song was sung by the first-year students, followed by the Florence Nightingale Pledge, delivered by Dr. Saridha Prema, Vice-Principal of Paavai College of Nursing and Research. The chief guest, Dr. Hemalatha Sugavanan, M.D., Obstetrician and Gynaecologist from Sugam Hospital, Rasipuram, delivered the keynote address.

Felicitations were offered by Thirumathi Mangai Natarajan, Correspondent of Paavai Group of Institutions. Ms. Thirumatha, a fourth-year B.Sc Nursing student, delivered the vote of thanks. The program concluded with the National Anthem.



PAAVAI WOMEN EMPOWERMENT SERIES XXV WAS HELD ON 21.08.2024

The 28th Women Empowerment Series event on the theme “கண்ணதாசன் பாடிய பெண்மையின் மேன்மை” was held on 22nd August 2025 at Dhiram Hall, Paavai Arts and Science College for Women. The programme began with a prayer song and Tamil Thai Vazhthu, followed by a welcome address. The Chief Guest, Mrs. Indira Vijayalakshmi, delivered an engaging session through Kannadasan’s songs, explaining their meaning and relevance.

The Chairman Shri CA N. V. Natarajan and Correspondent Smt. Mangai Natarajan addressed and felicitated the gathering, emphasizing women’s confidence and empowerment. The event concluded with a vote of thanks and the National Anthem.



GRADUATION CEREMONY ON 10.10.2024

The Graduation Ceremony of Paavai Educational Institutions Paavai College of Engineering, Pharmacy, Nursing, Allied Health Science and Arts and Science, was held on 29.09.2024 at Anandha Arangam from 10.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m. Shri. CA N.V. Natarajan, Chairman, presided over the function and declared the convocation open. Major General Dr. R. Ravikumar, AVSM, Dean of KMCH Institute of Health Sciences, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest. Smt. Mangai Natarajan inaugurated the ceremony by lighting the kuthuvilakku.

Dr. V. Hariharan, Principal, welcomed the gathering. In his presidential address, the Chairman appreciated graduates and highlighted the role of parents, teachers, society, and management in shaping students. The Chief Guest congratulated the graduates and emphasized compassionate care, research, innovation, and integrity. He also inspired students with the message of maintaining a sound mind and body.

Degrees were awarded to all graduates, and rank holders received medals, gold coins, and cash prizes. The convocation pledge was administered, marking the formal transition of graduates. Mementos were presented to the Chief Guest as a token of respect. The event concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr. Hepsi Rachel Chellarani.

The ceremony ended with the National Anthem in the presence of dignitaries, faculty, graduates, and parents.



WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY WAS CELEBRATED ON 10.10.2024

“Paavai College of Nursing and Research organized an awareness campaign through psychodrama and a poster presentation on the theme, “It is time to prioritize mental health in the workplace,” in recognition of World Mental Health Day on October 10, 2024, at Manoraksha Mental Health Centre, Gajjalnaickenpatty, Salem. The program was inaugurated by Dr. S. Mohana Venkatachalapathy, MBBS, D.P.M., Consultant Psychiatrist. Prof. (Mr.) N. Loganathan, M.Sc (N), from the Department of Mental Health Nursing, explained the importance of coping strategies and workplace adaptation skills. Around 60 third-year B.Sc Nursing students participated in this program, benefiting 40 patients and their family members.”



CELEBRATING WORLD DIABETES DAY'2024 ON 14.11.2024

In commemoration of World Diabetes Day 2024, Paavai College of Nursing and Research organized a poster presentation and essay competition on the theme “*Breaking Barriers, Bridging Gaps*” on 14th November 2024 for the Nursing students.

The poster presentation saw enthusiastic participation from 20 students, while 50 students showcased their creativity in the essay competition. The winners of each competition were recognized and awarded prizes for their outstanding efforts.



A FIVE DAY INDUCTION PROGRAMME FOR THE 1ST YEAR STUDENTS OF PARAMEDICAL WAS HELD FROM 13.11.2024 TO 18.11.2024

A Five-Day Induction Programme for first-year Paramedical students was conducted from 13.11.2024 to 18.11.2024 at Paavai Educational Institutions. The inauguration was held on 13.11.2024 at Anandha Arangam with a prayer and lighting of the kuthuvilakku. Shri CA N.V. Natarajan delivered the inaugural address, emphasizing goal setting, discipline, and academic excellence. Smt. Mangai Natarajan highlighted the importance of values, identity, and practical learning.

Various sessions were conducted on Paavai culture, transition from school to college, stress management, and life-saving skills. Experts also spoke on time management, communication skills, ICT tools, and career opportunities in paramedical fields. Students were guided on placement skills, goal setting, and the importance of language learning. Yoga and wellness sessions were also included to promote health and well-being.

The programme was interactive and informative, benefiting a total of 573 students.



INSTALLATION AND INAUGURATION OF ALL ASSOCIATIONS OFFICE BEARERS WAS HELD ON 22.01.2025

The Inauguration and Installation of Office Bearers (2024–25) was held at Paavai Engineering College on 22nd January 2025. The programme began with an invocation and Tamil Thai Vazhthu, followed by lighting of the kuthuvilakku by Smt. Mangai Natarajan and dignitaries.

Shri CA N.V. Natarajan highlighted the importance of leadership and responsibilities in his address. The Guest Speaker, Mr. Singai G. Ramachandran, appreciated the outgoing team and introduced the new office bearers, who took oath and assumed their roles.

The event concluded with a vote of thanks by Ms. R. Swetha and the National Anthem.



NOTHING LIKE VOTING, I VOTE FOR SURE – VOTER AWARENESS PROGRAM

Paavai College of Nursing and Research, Namakkal administered the theme “Nothing Like Voting, I Vote for Sure” on 25th January 2025 to emphasize the importance of voting and to instill pride in electoral participation. The program was conducted at the college campus, where around 230 members actively participated and took the pledge.



A NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON APPLICATION OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AI) ON 29.01.2025

Paavai Paramedical Institution collaboratively organized a one-day National Conference on the Application of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in the Healthcare Industry on January 29, 2025.

The inaugural session of the conference was held at Anandha Arangam, with Shri CA. N. V. Natarajan, Chairman of Paavai Educational Institutions, presiding over the function. The Chief Guest of the program was Prof. Dr. K. Prakasam, Medical Director of Swamy Vivekanandha Medical College Hospital and Research Institute, Tiruchengode. Smt. Mangai Natarajan, Correspondent of Paavai Educational Institutions, lit the Kuthuvilakku along with the dignitaries on the dais. The gathering was warmly welcomed by Ms. Pooja, a student of Paavai

Paramedical Institution. The Director of Administration, Admission, and the Principals from Paavai Institutions graced the occasion.

The scientific session was conducted at the Visvesvaraya Block. The first session was delivered by Mrs. S. Kanmani, Professor at the College of Nursing, Sri Ramakrishna Institute of Paramedical Sciences, Coimbatore, on The Impacts and Issues of Artificial Intelligence in Nursing Science and Healthcare Settings. The second session was handled by Dr. Sara Saphrina, M.Sc. (N), Ph.D. (N), Associate Professor at Sri Ramachandra College of Nursing, Porur, Chennai, who spoke on The Role of Artificial Intelligence in Telemedicine and Remote Monitoring. The final session was presented by Dr. C. Silambarasi, M.B.B.S., M.D., Medical Officer at Government Hospital, Sankagiri, on The Future of AI: Emerging Trends and Technologies in Healthcare.

The conference witnessed the participation of approximately 470 attendees from ten different nursing colleges across Tamil Nadu. Certificates and mementos were distributed by Dr. Hepsi Rachel Charles, Principal of Paavai College of Nursing, Namakkal. The event concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Ms. Sandra Prakash, followed by the National Anthem.



GRAND GRADUATION CEREMONY ON 04.02.2025

A grand graduation ceremony was held for the students of Paavai Nursing, Pharmacy, Allied Health Sciences, Paavai Arts & Science College, and Paavai College of Engineering. The event was presided over by the Chairman of Paavai Educational Institutions, Shri N.V. Natarajan, who inaugurated the ceremony and delivered the presidential address.

The distinguished guest of honor for the event was Dr. Lang Ji Yang, Advisor and Director of the Science and Technology Division at the Taipei Economic and Cultural Center in India. Dr. Hariharan, the Principal of Paavai College of Engineering, welcomed all the guests and attendees.

Mrs. Mangai Natarajan, Correspondent of Paavai Educational Institutions, lit the traditional lamp to mark the beginning of the ceremony.

During his keynote address, Dr. Lang Ji Yang said:“It is a joyous occasion to witness young graduates successfully completing their college education. Today, you are stepping into the world as graduates in various fields, including engineering, arts and science, and paramedical studies. You are the foundation of progress in every industry. You are about to embark on your career paths with new challenges and expectations. To achieve greater heights, you must adapt to modern technological advancements. Lifelong learning and continuous self-improvement should be your guiding principles.



Overcome fears and hesitations, and always work as a team. Strive to solve contemporary problems in your industries and expand your knowledge on a global level. Pursuing higher education or working abroad will help you excel in your field. In this regard, Taiwan can be an excellent choice for you. Programs such as the International Internship Pioneer Program (IIPP) and Taiwan Experiential Learning Program (TEEP) offer scholarships for projects, internships, and higher studies in Taiwan.

Always remain grateful to your parents, teachers, and the institution that shaped you. Your growth should also contribute to their growth. I extend my best wishes for you all to become successful professionals and achievers.”

The ceremony honored over 800 graduands, with university rank holders receiving gold medals, and the top two students in each department receiving gold and silver medals in recognition of their achievements.

Prior to this, the Chairman of Paavai Educational Institutions presented a memento and a golden shawl to the esteemed guest of honor.

Following this, the Chairman administered the Graduation Pledge to the newly conferred graduates.

The event concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Dr. Hepsi Rachel, Principal of Paavai Nursing & Research College, followed by the national anthem.

LAMP LIGHTING CEREMONY WAS HELD ON 10.02.2025

The Lamp Lighting Ceremony of the 9th Batch (2024-2025) B.Sc. Nursing students of Paavai College of Nursing and Research, Pachal, Namakkal, was held on February 10, 2025. Dr. R. Natarajan, M.B.B.S., M.S., Chief Consultant Neurosurgeon and Managing Director of Neuro Foundation Hospital, Salem, was the Chief Guest.

The program commenced with a prayer song, followed by a warm welcome address delivered by Ms. Thirumatha, a student of Paavai College of Nursing and Research. The event was presided over by the Chairman of Paavai Group of Educational Institutions, Shri CA. N. V.

Natarajan, who delivered the presidential address. The dignitaries then performed the traditional illumination of the students' lamps.

The Nightingale Pledge was administered by Dr. Hepsi Rachel Charles, M.Sc. (N), Ph.D., Principal of Paavai College of Nursing and Research. The keynote address was delivered by the Chief Guest, Dr. R. Natarajan, who emphasized the significance of dedication and compassion in the nursing profession.

The Correspondent of Paavai Group of Institutions, Smt. Mangai Natarajan, felicitated the gathering, appreciating the students for choosing the noble path of nursing. The ceremony concluded with a vote of thanks delivered by Ms. Vismi Vinod, a student of Paavai College of Nursing and Research.



A ONE-DAY NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON “FORENSIC NURSING: THE EVOLUTION OF INDIAN PERSPECTIVES” ON 1ST MARCH 2025

Paavai College of Nursing and Research organized a one-day National Conference on “Forensic Nursing: The Evolution of Indian Perspectives” on 1st March 2025 at Pragathi Hall.

The inaugural session was presided over by Shri. CA. N. V. Natarajan, Chairman of Paavai Educational Institutions. The Chief Guest, Dr. Rakesh Kumar Gorea, Executive Director, Medico-Legal Institute, Baba Farid University of Health Sciences, Faridkot, Punjab,

graced the occasion. Smt. Mangai Natarajan, Correspondent of Paavai Educational Institutions, along with other dignitaries on the dais, lit the traditional kuthuvilakku. Ms. Thirumatha, a student, delivered the welcome address.

In his Chief Guest address, Dr. Rakesh Kumar Gorea highlighted the significance of forensic nursing as an evolving and indispensable specialty that bridges healthcare and the justice system. He emphasized its crucial role in addressing violence, trauma, and crimes against individuals while ensuring justice and advocacy for victims and survivors. He further elaborated on forensic nursing's contributions to forensic investigations, legal proceedings, and trauma-informed care, noting that forensic nurses serve as a vital link between medicine and law, ensuring that victims receive both compassionate care and medico-legal documentation to uphold justice.



The conference prelude was delivered by Dr. Hepsi Rachel Chellarani, Principal, Paavai College of Nursing, Namakkal. The event was also attended by the Director of Administration, Admission, and Principals from Paavai Institutions.

SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS:

The conference featured seven insightful scientific sessions, each led by distinguished speakers:

1. Dr. Rakesh Kumar Gorea, MBBS, MD, Ph.D. (Forensic Medicine & Toxicology, Odontology)
 - o Topic: *“Strategies to Influence the Future of Forensic Nursing & the Global Response to Violence”*

2. Dr. Malarvizhi S, RN, RM, Ph.D. (N), Professor & HOD, College of Nursing, Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences, Pondicherry
 - Topic: *“Role and Challenges of the Forensic Team in Human Rights Investigations”*
3. Dr. Shejila Chillakunnel Hussain Rawther, RN, RM, Ph.D. (N), Professor, College of Nursing Sciences, Dayananda Sagar University, Bangalore
 - Topic: *“Evidence Preservation and Documentation – Role of a Nurse”*
4. Prof. S. Renuka, M.Sc. (N), MBA (HM), Professor & HOD, KMCH College of Nursing, Coimbatore
 - Topic: *“Comprehensive Forensic Nursing Care for Victims and Families – Role of a Forensic Nurse”*
5. Dr. R. Naganandini, RN, RM, Ph.D. (N), Professor & HOD, Vinayaka Mission’s Annapoorana College of Nursing, VMRF-DU, Salem
 - Topic: *“Incorporating Evidence-Based Strategies into Forensic Nursing Practice”*
6. Dr. K. Gokularamanan, MBBS, MD, HOD, Department of Forensic Medicine, Government Mohan Kumaramangalam Medical College and Hospital, Salem
 - Topic: *“Current Scenario and Scope of Forensic Nursing”*
7. Ms. G. M. Kavitha, MA, M.L., Assistant Professor of Law & Head-in-Charge of Pre-Law Course, The Central Law College, Salem
 - Topic: *“Indian Constitution, Indian Judicial System & Laws Against Violence (POSCO Act)”*

The conference witnessed the enthusiastic participation of 500 delegates from various institutions across Tamil Nadu. The participants received certificates and mementos, presented by Dr. Hepsy Rachel Chellarani, Principal, Paavai College of Nursing, Namakkal.

The Vote of Thanks was delivered by Ms. Vismi Vinod, and the conference concluded with the National Anthem.

NATIONAL TUBERCULOSIS ELIMINATION PROGRAMME – 2025

In continuation with World Tuberculosis Day, On 24th March, Students of Paavai College of Nursing and Research participated in the “National Tuberculosis Elimination Programme – 2025.” It was organized by Medical and Rural Health Services, Namakkal, at Government

Medical College, Auditorium, Namakkal. Four students along with 2 Faculty attended the programme. Dr. ShanthaArulmozhi, Dean, Government Medical College, Namakkal, Dr. Raj Mohan, Joint Director of Government Medical College, Namakkal, Dr. J. Prabhakaran, Assistant Director of Government Medical College, Namakkal. Dr. K. Jayanthini, Assistant Director of Leprosy Department were the guest speakers and given speech on Tuberculosis elimination by the year 2025. Moreover, Signature collection campaign was conducted to raise the awareness of tuberculosis elimination. “TB FREE INDIA PLEDGE” was taken by the students and health care workers. Our students received ‘Appreciation Certificate’ and ‘shield’ for joining the Rally on 21.03.2022.



WORLD TUBERCULOSIS DAY - 2025

Paavai College of Nursing and Research organized TB awareness and poster presentation on the event of “World Tuberculosis Day – 2025 on the theme “Yes ! we can end TB : Commit, Invest, Deliver” at Minnampali Primary Health Center, VT Puram Primary Health Center, Namakkal on March 24th 2025. The students created awareness on the theme to the Community peoples and others who attended the clinic around 80 Patients with their family members got benefited by the awareness programmes.



WORLD HEALTH DAY ON THE THEME OF "HEALTHY BEGINNINGS, HOPEFUL FUTURE"

Paavai College of Nursing and Research organized a Health Awareness Programme and Poster Presentation on the occasion of World Health Day 2025 on the theme “Healthy Beginnings, Hopeful Future” at Minnampali Primary Health Centre, Namakkal, on April 7, 2025.



The students created awareness on the theme for antenatal mothers and other attendees at the clinic. Around 60 patients, along with their family members, benefited from the programme.

THE FACULTY DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT ORGANIZED A SIX DAY INDUCTION PROGRAMME FOR NEWLY RECRUITED FACULTY MEMBERS FROM 04.04.2025 TO 11.04.2025

The Faculty Development Department organized a Six-Day Induction Programme from 04.04.2025 to 15.04.2025 for newly recruited faculty members. The inaugural ceremony was held at Premium Hall with the presence of the Chairman and other dignitaries. The programme aimed to familiarize faculty with institutional practices and effective teaching strategies. A total of 31 faculty members participated in the programme. The Chairman emphasized the importance of the 5C's and value-based education. Various sessions were conducted by eminent resource persons on topics like pedagogy, ethics, communication skills, research, and outcome-based education. The sessions highlighted student-centered teaching, professional development, and institutional culture. Interactive activities, model teaching sessions, and feedback helped enhance teaching competencies. Special sessions on smart teaching, yoga, and mental well-being added value to the programme. The programme concluded successfully with a valedictory function and positive feedback from participants



WORLD MALARIA DAY 2025 ON THE THEME OF “MALARIA END WITH US : REINVEST, REIMAGINE, REIGNITE”

Paavai College of Nursing and Research has organized guest lecture regarding “World Malaria Day 2025 on the theme of “Malaria End with us : Reinvest, Reimagine, Reignite” on 25.04.2025. The Guest Speaker was Mr.Shridhar, Health Inspector, Primary Health Centre, VT Puram, He explained in detail about Malaria eradication and created awareness among our students. Around 180 Students attended the Programme.



PLACEMENT DAY'25 HELD ON 25.04.2025

Placement Day '25 was conducted successfully on 25th April 2025 with participation from five reputed hospitals. The outgoing batch students took part in the recruitment process, which included interviews and assessments.

All students performed well, and 100% placement was achieved, with every student securing a job offer. The event marked a successful start to their professional careers

PADMAM - LET YOUR TALENTS BLOSSOM - A CULTURAL FESTIVAL HELD ON 29.04.2025 & 30.04.2025

PADMAM', the intercollegiate cultural competition, was conducted on the 29th and 30th of April 2025 among PCNR, PCPR, PPSC, and PIAHS colleges. The two-day programme was held at the Paramedical Campus, where students were grouped into three teams: "Paavai Life Savers", "Paavai Surgical Warriors", and "Paavai Med Champs".



A total of thirty-eight events were conducted. The overall championship was won by Paavai Surgical Warriors, while Paavai Life Savers secured the second place, followed by Paavai Med Champs in the third place.



The valedictory session was held at Anandha Arangam on 08.05.2025, from 2:00 PM to 5:00 PM. The Chief Guest was Ms. R. Rajapriyadharshini, Deputy Chief Ticket Inspector, Southern Railways. The Presidential Address was delivered by our Chairman, Shri. CA. N. V. Natarajan, followed by felicitations from our Correspondent, Smt. Mangai Natarajan.

The programme concluded with the National Anthem.